

REMARKS

Claims 64-86 are pending in the present application. In the above amendments, claims 1-5, 8-16, 19-25, 28-34, 37-43, 46-52 and 55-63 have been cancelled, and new claims 64-86 have been added.

Applicants respectfully respond to this Office Action.

New Claims

Support for new claims 64-86 may be located in the specification at page 11, line 5 – page 12, line 29; page 14, lines 8-11, page 15, lines 13-18; and page 16, lines 6-14; and by Figure 3, 4, 6 and 9. Applicant respectfully asserts that new claim 64-86 recite patentable features over the cited prior art and should be allowed.

For example, Applicants assert that the Lee, Wasilewski, Tsuria and Daly patents fail to render obvious, “A method for broadcasting encrypted multimedia content from a content provider to a plurality of authorized terminals over the air, comprising: each terminal forwarding a unique public key over the air to the content provider, wherein each terminal has a mobile equipment and has a secure processing unit that securely stores a unique private key, corresponding to the unique public key, that is not accessible to a terminal user, and wherein the content provider encrypts a broadcast access key with each of the unique public keys to authorize a terminal having the secure processing unit securely storing a corresponding unique private key to receive the encrypted multimedia content; each terminal receiving the respective encrypted broadcast access key over the air from the content provider and providing the respective encrypted broadcast access key to the terminal’s secure processing unit, wherein the terminal’s secure processing unit decrypts the encrypted broadcast access key using the secure processing unit’s unique private key and securely stores the broadcast access key; each terminal receiving short-term key information and encrypted multimedia content broadcast over the air from the content provider to the plurality of terminals, wherein the multimedia content is encrypted with a short-term key, and wherein the short-term key is generated using the broadcast access key and the short-term key information; each terminal providing the short-term key information to the terminal’s secure processing unit, wherein the terminal’s secure processing unit generates the short-term key using the broadcast access key and the short-term key

information, and provides the short-term key to the terminal's mobile equipment; and each terminal's mobile equipment decrypting the multimedia content using the short-term key", as recited in new claim 64.

Independent claims 72, 77 and 82 are integrated circuit, machine readable medium, and apparatus claims, respectively, defined by language similar to that of method claim 64. For reasons similar to those discussed above with respect to claim 64, Applicants assert that claims 72, 77 and 82 recite patentable features over the Lee, Wasilewski, Tsuria and Daly patents and should be allowed.

REQUEST FOR ALLOWANCE

In view of the foregoing, Applicants submit that all pending claims in the application are patentable. Accordingly, reconsideration and allowance of this application are earnestly solicited. Should any issues remain unresolved, the Examiner is encouraged to telephone the undersigned at the number provided below.

Respectfully submitted,

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